GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3952
ANSWERED ON:09.04.2003
ASSISTANCE FOR FILARIA CONTROL PROGRAMME
BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Filaria cases in the country, State-wise;

(b) whether the Union Government have received any proposal from the State Governments particularly Orissa for the financial assistance for the expansion of Filaria Control Programme;

(c) if so, the details thereof during the last three years, State-wise; and

(d) the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a) A Statement showing number of Filaria cases in the country, State- wise is at Annexure.

(b) to (d) No such proposal has been received from any State during the last three years.

Annexure-I

STATE-WISE PROVISIONAL DATA ON THE PREVALENCE OF MICROFILARIA (MF.) & DISEASE CASES (FROM 1 JAN. TO 31 DEC. 2002)

Sl. No.	State	Blood smear Examined	No. of Micro Filaria carriers %	Mf. Rate	No. of Disease Cases	Disease Rate %
(MF+ve)						
1	Andhra Pradesh	213877	2438	1.14	10299	4.82
2.	Assam	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
3.	Bihar	278038	1133	0.41	5315	1.91
4.	Goa	11790	17	0.14	0	0.00
5.	Gujarat	26473	35	0.13	10	0.04
6.	Karnataka	86150	536	0.62	5682	6.60
7	Kerala	88597	393	0.44	599	0.68
8.	Madhya Pradesh	103984	214	0.21	656	0.63
9.	Maharashtra	589147	7581	1.29	2596	0.44
10.	Orissa	16112	210	1.30	1569	9.74
11.	Tamil Nadu	2011010	1385	0.07	1165	0.06
12.	Uttar Pradesh	67245	504	0.75	4815	7.16

13.	West Bengal	5463	180	3.29	487	8.91
14.	Pondicherry	106040	523	0.49	126	0.12
15.	A&N Island	11823	78	0.66	0	0.00
16.	Daman & Diu	12051	14	0.12	92	0.76
17.	Lakshadweep	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
18.	Jharkhand	27507	70	0.25	356	1.29
Total		3655307	15311	0.42	33768	0.92